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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 1-15 as follows:

1. (Amended) A method for analyzing anisotropy of a sample comprising the steps of:
- preparing two light beams having the same wavelength of which the plane of polarization are crossed at a given angle,
- introducing the two light beams into a sample to be measured in anisotropy at the same time,
- rotating the plane of polarization of one of the two light beams by the given angle so as to correspond to that of the other of the two light beams, after passing the two light beams through the sample,
- superimposing the two light beams, and